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Efficiency Vermont Update

Weatherization programs

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Efficiency Vermont-supported weatherization

Home Performance with ENERGY STAR ®

- Market-based program, leveraging statewide network of ~60 private Building Performance Institute (BPI) certified contractors
- Introduced income-based incentive structure in 2019, in order to provide enhanced support for low and moderate income (LMI) Vermonters
- Average ~800 units per year (2018-2022)
- In 2022 39% of customers were LMI
- Relatively high cost, low savings program ~\$310/MMBTU

Partnership with 3E Thermal

 Since 2009 EVT has contracted with 3E Thermal to provide enhanced support for multifamily weatherization (deeper savings + additional projects)

Market Context

Acute near-term workforce constraints

- 2 Increased project costs and complexity
- LMI Vermonters face many barriers and require a lot of additional support

Program Overview (proposed)

NEW

Increased LMI Incentives

Currently 75% up to \$5000

Will increase July 1

Enhanced Technical Assistance

Energy Liaison service to support customers

Home Repair Fund

NEW.

Up to \$15k per project for repairs required for safe & effective weatherization

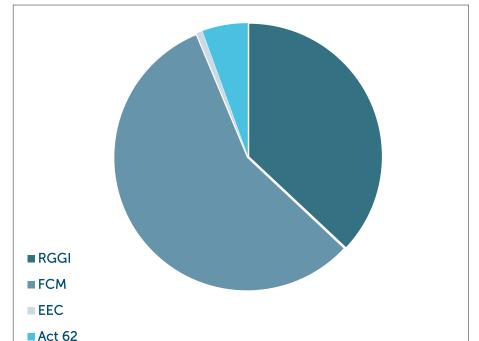
Increased Incentives for Rental Properties NEW

Up to \$20k per project for MI owners

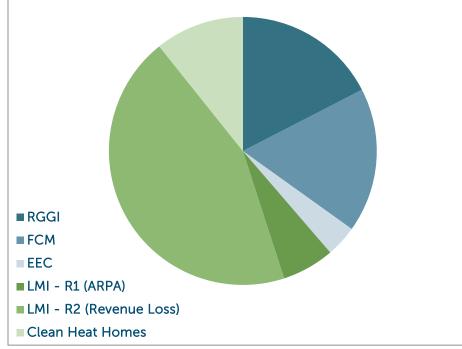
Funding Outlook

2017-2021 (\$30M)



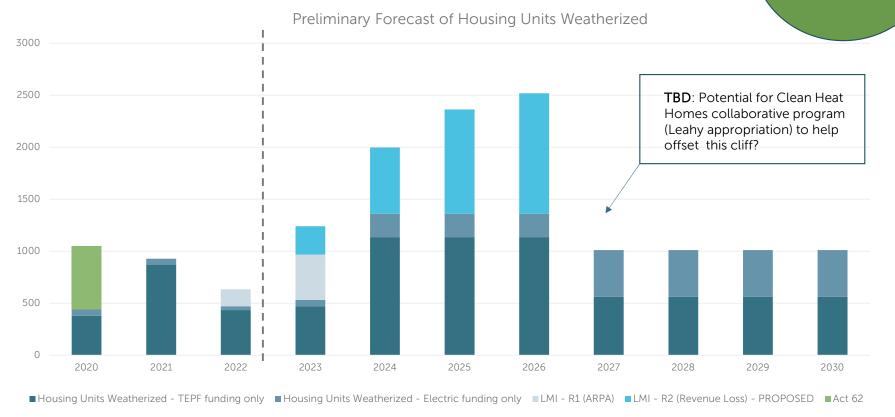


2022-2026 (\$80M)



Projected Results

2020-30 14,000 total units (estimated)



What happens next?

ARPA - R2

- Plan being reviewed with PSD, AOA
- LMI incentive changes 7/1

Workforce Development

- 2023-4 Contracts with ReSource, VT Adult Learning (focus on new entrants)
- Training and workforce expansion (focus on current HPwES contractors)
- VT Training center partnership with OEO

Clean Heat Homes

- Engagement with DOE on timeline/parameters
- Collaborative program design with partners



Questions?

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